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(Our Case No. 1723-14140US02)

In the Application of:

Jesse R. Miller, *et al.*

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Response to the final Office Action dated May 5, 2006 and request reconsideration of the application. This response is being filed within two months of the mailing date of the final Office Action. Applicants request reconsideration based on the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment is to be entered
JMC 7/28/06